### UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA DURHAM DIVISION

In Re:

Willie Mae Horne

Case No. 08-80969

Chapter 13

Soc. Sec. No. xxx-xx-7487 Mailing Address:2024 Collier Road, Durham, NC 27707-

Debtor

#### MOTION TO MODIFY PLAN

NOW COMES the Debtor, by and through counsel undersigned, who moves, under authority of 11 U.S.C. § 1329, to modify the Chapter 13 plan in this case, and in support hereof, the Debtor shows unto this Court the following:

- 1. This case was filed on June 30, 2008, with the Chapter 13 plan being subsequently confirmed on October 14, 2008.
- 2. The Debtor proposes to modify the Chapter 13 plan in this case in the following respects:

From: \$1,544.00 per month.

To: \$1,544.00 per month through January, 2011, followed thereafter by \$1,111.00 per month, starting in February, 2011. The amended plan does not decrease the dividend to unsecured creditors, which, as reflected in the confirmed plan, provides for \$8,774.00 to general unsecured creditors.

- 3. The changed circumstances that justify the proposed modification are as follows:
  - A. The debtor is surrendering her interest in a 2006 Chevrolet Impala, for which the costs of repair have become excessive.
  - B. As previously approved by this court, the debtor has financed a replacement vehicle, with payments of \$414.00 per month to be paid directly to the lender, Santander Consumer Credit.
  - C. The debtor's medical expenses have increased significantly because of chronic high blood pressure, a worn foot ligament, and restorative dental work. The debtor has begun payroll deduction for a health savings account, but expects that her expenses will likely exceed the health savings account balance.
- 4. An Amended Schedule I for the Debtor is attached hereto and is incorporated hereto by reference.

5. An Amended Schedule J for the Debtor is attached hereto and is incorporated by reference. To facilitate the proposed modification, the Debtor hereby surrenders any interest she may have in collateral securing the following claims:

Creditor and Claim No.	Collateral
Drivetime Credit (claim no.7)	2006 Chevrolet Impala

At the time of the filing of the Debtor's Chapter 13 bankruptcy, the 2006 Chevrolet Impala had a fair market value of \$10,147.00.

At the time of the filing of the Debtor's Motion to Modify, the 2006 Chevrolet Impala had a fair market value of \$6,120.00.

The 2006 Chevrolet Impala has depreciated in the amount of \$4,027.00 since the filing of the Debtor's Chapter 13 bankruptcy.

That, pursuant to *In re Miller* (Unpublished, MDNC 99-81339), the Debtor's Chapter 13 plan has paid approximately \$5,491.60 to Drivetime Credit, exceeding the depreciation on the 2006 Chevrolet Impala in the amount of \$1,464.60.

6. The proposed modification conforms to the standards of confirmation set out in 11 U.S.C. §§ 1322 and 1325.

### Appended Application for an Additional Attorney Fee

- 7. Counsel for the Debtor further applies herein, in accordance with Bankruptcy Rule 2016(b), for approval an attorney fee in the amount of \$250.00 to pay for the reasonable value of the services rendered, and to be rendered, with respect to this motion to modify, including, without limitation, the following:
  - a. Calls from and to the Debtor to discuss changes in her situation which necessitate this motion, to explain the procedures and requirements involved, and to advise the Debtor accordingly; and
  - b. Contact with the Trustee's office concerning the proposed modification; and
  - c. Re-evaluating and recalculating the Chapter 13 plan in this case; and
  - d. Drafting this Motion and Certificate of Service; and
  - e. Service of the Motion on all interested parties, which includes all creditors scheduled in this case, at the expense of the undersigned law firm; and
  - f. Filing of the Motion; and
  - g. Prospective attendance with Debtor at the hearing upon the motion, if any; and
  - h. Prospective drafting and filing of the proposed Order and Deputy Clerk's Certificate of Service; and
  - i. Prospective follow-up instructions to client, as will be necessary, following the granting of this motion.

These services were not taken into account in the contract for legal services entered into between the undersigned and the Debtor.

WHEREFORE, the Debtor prays that this Court grant her Motion, and modify the Chapter 13 plan accordingly. In addition, counsel undersigned requests that this Court approve a fee in the amount of \$250.00 to compensate undersigned for the services rendered or to be rendered with respect to this motion, said fee to be paid by the Chapter 13 Trustee as an administrative claim in this case.

Dated: February 10, 2011

#### LAW OFFICES OF JOHN T. ORCUTT, P.C.

/s Koury Hicks

Koury Hicks North Carolina State Bar No.: 36204 6616-203 Six Forks Road Raleigh, N.C. 27615 (919) 847-9750

#### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I, Koury Hicks, certify under penalty of perjury that I am, and at all times hereinafter mentioned was, more than eighteen (18) years of age and that on February 10, 2011, I served copies of the foregoing **MOTION TO MODIFY PLAN** by regular first-class U.S. mail, addressed to the following parties:

Richard M. Hutson, II Chapter 13 Trustee P.O. Box 3613 Durham, N.C. 27702-3613

Michael West
U.S. Bankruptcy Administrator
P.O. Box 1828
Greensboro, N.C. 27402-1828
2.
Willie Mae Horne
2024 Collier Road,
Durham, NC 27707-

Drivetime Credit Attn: Managing Agent P O BOX 29018 Phoenix, AZ 85038-

Christopher Lewis White, P.A. Attorney At Law PO Box 31428 Raleigh, NC 27622-

All creditors with duly filed claims as listed on PACER.

/s Koury Hicks
Koury Hicks

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#### Debtor(s)

## SCHEDULE I - CURRENT INCOME OF INDIVIDUAL DEBTOR(S) - AMENDED

The column labeled "Spouse" must be completed in all cases filed by joint debtors and by every married debtor, whether or not a joint petition is filed, unless the spouses are separated and a joint petition is not filed. Do not state the name of any minor child. The average monthly income calculated on this form may differ from the current monthly income calculated on Form 22A, 22B, or 22C.

Debtor's Marital Status: DEPENDENTS OF DEBTOR AND SPOUSE					
Transition of the state of the	RELATIONSHIP(S):	AGE(S):			
Single	None.				
Employment:	DEBTOR		SPOUSE		
Occupation Te	eacher				
Name of Employer H	lealthy Start Academy Charter School				
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<u> </u>	07 West Chapel Hill Street	-			
	Ourham, NC 27701				
	rojected monthly income at time case filed)		DEBTOR		SPOUSE
	commissions (Prorate if not paid monthly)	\$	5,482.00	\$_	N/A
2. Estimate monthly overtime		\$	0.00	<b>\$</b> –	N/A
3. SUBTOTAL		\$	5,482.00	\$_	N/A
4. LESS PAYROLL DEDUCTIONS					
a. Payroll taxes and social secur	ritu	\$	1,099.41	\$	N/A
b. Insurance	ity	\$ <del></del>	112.00	°	N/A N/A
c. Union dues		* —	0.00	<u>*</u> –	N/A
	ement Contribution	<u> </u>	325.92	<u> </u>	N/A
	hcare savings account	<u> </u>	150.00	š <u> </u>	N/A
5. SUBTOTAL OF PAYROLL DEDU	JCTIONS	\$	1,687.33	<u> </u>	N/A
6. TOTAL NET MONTHLY TAKE H	HOME PAY	\$_	3,794.67	<b>\$</b> _	N/A
	business or profession or farm (Attach detailed statement)	\$	0.00	\$ <u>_</u>	N/A
8. Income from real property		\$	0.00	\$	N/A
9. Interest and dividends		\$	0.00	\$ _	N/A
dependents listed above	payments payable to the debtor for the debtor's use or that o	of \$	0.00	s _	N/A
11. Social security or government assi	istance	<u>.</u>	_	_	
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12. Pension or retirement income	•	<sub>2</sub> —	0.00	2 —	N/A
13. Other monthly income (Specify): Tay Refund (12)	184th Average based on 2000 refund)	ď	466 67	ά	N/A
(Specify): Tax Refund (12	Month Average based on 2009 refund)	\$ — \$	166.67	\$ <b>-</b>	N/A
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14. SUBTOTAL OF LINES 7 THROU	UGH 13	\$	166.67	\$	N/A
15. AVERAGE MONTHLY INCOME	E (Add amounts shown on lines 6 and 14)	\$	3,961.34	\$_	N/A
16. COMBINED AVERAGE MONTH		\$ 3,961.34			

(Report also on Summary of Schedules and, if applicable, on Statistical Summary of Certain Liabilities and Related Data)

17. Describe any increase or decrease in income reasonably anticipated to occur within the year following the filing of this document: **None Anticipated** 

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# SCHEDULE J - CURRENT EXPENDITURES OF INDIVIDUAL DEBTOR(S) - AMENDED

Complete this schedule by estimating the average or projected monthly expenses of the debtor and the debtor's family at time case filed. Prorate any payments made bi-weekly, quarterly, semi-annually, or annually to show monthly rate. The average monthly expenses calculated on this form may differ from the deductions from income allowed on Form 22A or 22C.

Check this box if a joint petition is filed and debtor's spouse maintains a separate household. Complex penditures labeled "Spouse."	iete a separat	
1. Rent or home mortgage payment (include lot rented for mobile home)	\$	0.00
a. Are real estate taxes included? Yes X No		
b. Is property insurance included? Yes X No		
2. Utilities: a. Electricity and heating fuel	\$	220.00
b. Water and sewer	\$	65.00
c. Telephone	\$	95.79
d. Other See Detailed Expense Attachment	\$	307.00
3. Home maintenance (repairs and upkeep)	\$	28.00
4. Food	\$	277.00
5. Clothing	\$	65.00
6. Laundry and dry cleaning	<u>\$</u>	20.00
7. Medical and dental expenses	<u> </u>	60.00 239.00
8. Transportation (not including car payments)	\$	239.00
9. Recreation, clubs and entertainment, newspapers, magazines, etc.	\$	354.17
10 Charitable contributions	\$	334.17
11. Insurance (not deducted from wages or included in home mortgage payments)	•	0.00
a. Homeowner's or renter's	\$	0.00
b. Life	\$	0.00
c. Health	\$	100.00
d. Auto	\$	0.00
e. Other  12. Taxes (not deducted from wages or included in home mortgage payments)	<b>э</b>	0.00
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(Specify) Personal Property Taxes	\$	35.00
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plan)	Ф	365.43
a. Auto	\$	0.00
b. Other	\$	0.00
c. Other	ž ——	0.00
14 Alimony, maintenance, and support paid to others	<u>\$</u>	0.00
15. Payments for support of additional dependents not living at your home	\$ ——	0.00
16. Regular expenses from operation of business, profession, or farm (attach detailed statement)	\$	1,685.00
17. Other See Detailed Expense Attachment	\$	1,000.00
18 AVERAGE MONTHLY EXPENSES (Total lines 1-17. Report also on Summary of Schedules	\$	3,916.39
and, if applicable, on the Statistical Summary of Certain Liabilities and Related Data.)		
19. Describe any increase or decrease in expenditures reasonably anticipated to occur within the year		
following the filing of this document:		
None Anticipated	-	
20. STATEMENT OF MONTHLY NET INCOME	æ	3,961.34
a. Average monthly income from Line 15 of Schedule I	ф ——	3,916.39
b. Average monthly expenses from Line 18 above	ф ———	44.95
c. Monthly net income (a. minus b.)	Φ	

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# SCHEDULE J - CURRENT EXPENDITURES OF INDIVIDUAL DEBTOR(S) - AMENDED Detailed Expense Attachment

Other	Utility	<b>Expenditures:</b>

Cellular Phone	\$	75.00
Home Security Alarm System	\$	47.00
Cable Television	<u> </u>	140.00
Internet	\$	45.00
Total Other Utility Expenditures	<u> </u>	307.00

#### Other Expenditures:

Ch. 13 Plan Payment	\$ 1,111.00
Personal Grooming	\$ 60.00
Emergencies/Miscellaneous	\$ 50.00
Vehicle payment	\$ 414.00
Miscellaneous	\$ 50.00
Total Other Expenditures	\$ 1,685.00